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Pursuant to the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants request consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement.

PART I: Compilance With 37 C.F.R. § 1.97

This Information Disclosure Statement has been filed more than three months after the filing date of this application and after the mailing date of the first Office Action, but before the mailing date of either a final office action under 37 C.F.R. §1.113 or a Notice of Allowance under 37 C.F.R. §1.311. The fee of \$180.00 as set forth in §1.17(p) is enclosed.

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Notwithstanding any statements by the Applicant, the Examiner is urged to form his/her own conclusion regarding the relevance of the cited information.

An early and favorable action is hereby requested.

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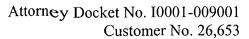
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An Information Disclosure Statement was filed for this application on October 30, 2002. Although this Information Disclosure Statement was received by the United States Patent and Trademark Office and Applicant presumes it was considered by the Examiner, applicant's file does not so indicate. Applicants therefore enclose a full copy of the Information Disclosure Statement and respectfully requests that the PTO form 1449 included in the Information Disclosure Statement be initialed and returned to applicants prior to issuance of this application. A copy of the return postcard bearing a stamp indicating receipt by the United States Patent and Trademark Office of the Information Disclosure Statement is also enclosed.

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